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# Board of Trustees. 1862--'63.

RICHARD WALLACH, Mayor, *ex officio President.*
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WM. B. DAYTON, *Secretary.*
JOHN SESSFORD, No. 374 6th st., bet. G and H, *Treasurer.*

## FIRST SCHOOL DISTRICT.

FIRST AND SECOND WARDS.

| *Trustees.* | *Residence.* | *Appointed.* |
|---|---|---|
| ROBT. RICKETTS. | 318 I street, bet. 15th and 16th. | 1861. |
| J. O. WILSON, | 393 N. Y. av., bet. 12th and 13th sts. | 1861. |
| R. T. MORSELL, | 374 L st., bet. Vt. av. and 15th st. | 1862. |

## SECOND SCHOOL DISTRICT.

THIRD AND FOURTH WARDS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| MITCHEL H. MILLER, | 512 M st., bet. 9th and 10th. | 1858. |
| CHAS. H. UTERMEHLE, | 359 6th st., bet. H and I. | 1861. |
| WM. J. RHEES, | 506 H street, between 7th and 8th. | 1862. |

## THIRD SCHOOL DISTRICT.

FIFTH AND SIXTH WARDS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| FRANCIS S. WALSH, | 608 8th st. east, bet. I and K. | 1857. |
| O. C. WIGHT, | 346 3d street, between E and F. | 1861. |
| C. W. DAVIS, | I st. south between 10th and 11th. | 1862. |

## FOURTH SCHOOL DISTRICT.

SEVENTH WARD.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| JAS. E. HOLMEAD, | 575 14th street, bet. C and D. | 1859. |
| JOHN T. CASSELL, | 561 Md. ave. and 7th street. | 1860. |
| JONAS B. ELLIS, | 117 B street, bet. 13th and 13½. | 1861. |

The Treasurer is at his office in the City Hall every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday morning, and on the last Saturday of every month, from 8 to 12 o'clock.

# Standing Committees. 1862--'63.

**On Supplies.**

J. B. ELLIS, C. H. UTERMEHLE, C. W. DAVIS, R. T. MORSELL.

**On Text Books.**

M. H. MILLER, J. E. HOLMEAD, O. C. WIGHT, J. O. WILSON.

**On Rules and Regulations.**

W. J. RHEES, R. RICKETTS, F. S. WALSH, J. E. HOLMEAD.

**On School Houses and School Rooms.**

J. O. WILSON, J. T. CASSELL, C. W. DAVIS, W. J. RHEES.

**On Examination of Candidates for Teachers.**

F. S. WALSH, J. E. HOLMEAD, J. O. WILSON, M. H. MILLER.

**On Accounts and Expenses.**

C. H. UTERMEHLE, C. W. DAVIS, R. RICKETTS, J. T. CASSELL.

**On Vocal Music.**

O. C. WIGHT, W. J. RHEES, J. E. HOLMEAD, R. RICKETTS.

**On Congress and the City Councils.**

R. T. MORSELL, M. H. MILLER, J. B. ELLIS, O. C. WIGHT.

**Committee on Public Schools of the Board of Aldermen.**

A. C. RICHARDS, W. B. MAGRUDER, N. SARGENT.

**Committee on Public Schools of the Common Council.**

Messrs. MURTAGH, GORDON, BARR, STEPHENS, KNIGHT, UTERMEHLE, PEAKE.

## *List of Trustees, from* 1846 *to* 1862.

| Name. | District. | School Years. | No. of years. | No. of meetings attended. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abbott, Geo. J. | 1 | 1846–54 | 8 | 103 |
| Abert, C. | 1 | 1860 | 1 | 6 |
| Ames, G. C. | 1 | 1860 | 1 | 7 |
| Adams, Jas. | 3 | 1849–50 | 2 | 19 |
| Altemus, T. | 3 | 1853 | 1 | 9 |
| Ashford, C. | 4 | 1846–7 | 2 | 22 |
| Atlee, S. Y. | 4 | 1853–56, 1858 | 5 | 60 |
| Ashdown, W. | 4 | 1848 | 1 | 4 |
| Bennett, C. W. | 1 | 1854–5 | 2 | 21 |
| Bacon, P. F. | 2 | 1847–54, 1857 | 9 | 86 |
| Bradley, J. H. | 2 | 1855 | 1 | 4 |
| Brandt, J. D. | 3 | 1857–8 | 2 | 23 |
| Bates, J. E. | 3 | 1854 | 1 | 2 |
| Bohrer, G. A. | 3 | 1859 | 1 | 8 |
| Byington, S. | 4 | 1848–53 | 6 | 24 |
| Callan, J. F. | 2 | 1846 | 1 | 6 |
| Chapin, E. M. | 2 | 1857–8 | 2 | 22 |
| Childs, E. L. | 2 | 1858 | 1 | 7 |
| Cole, S. | 2 | 1859 | 1 | 7 |
| Cassell, J. T. | 4 | 1860–1 | 2 | 21 |
| Dickinson, J. P. | 1 | 1854–6 | 3 | 31 |
| Donoho, T. | 1 | 1846–53 | 8 | 107 |
| Davis, A. G. | 3 | 1346–8 | 3 | 11 |
| Dove, G. M. | 3 | 1851 | 1 | 4 |
| Davis, C. W. | 3 | 1854–6 | 3 | 36 |
| Dixon, W. | 3 | 1854 | 1 | 2 |
| Ellis, J. B. | 3 | 1848–9 | 2 | 20 |
| " " | 4 | 1861 | 1 | 18 |
| Farnham, Robt. | 1 | 1816–53 | 8 | 62 |
| Fort, W. S. | 2 | 1858–9 | 2 | 29 |
| Geddes, R. | 4 | 1859 | 1 | 4 |
| Hartley, J. T. | 1 | 1846–7 | 2 | 15 |
| Haliday, J. F. | 1 | 1848–53 | 6 | 61 |
| Howard, F. | 1 | 1853 | 1 | 3 |
| Harbaugh, V. | 2 | 1846–53, 1861 | 9 | 97 |
| Harkness, J. C. | 2 | 1856 | 1 | 7 |
| Hanson, G. D. | 3 | 1854 | 1 | 7 |

## *List of Trustees*—Continued.

| Name. | District. | School Years. | No. of years. | No. of meetings attended. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Holmead, J. E | 4 | 1859–61 | 3 | 34 |
| Ironsides, R. B | 1 | 1857–61 | 5 | 63 |
| Knight, J | 4 | 1854 | 1 | 7 |
| Larcombe, Jno | 1 | 1860–61 | 2 | 9 |
| Lord, W | 2 | 1854 | 1 | 6 |
| Lawrenson, J | 2 | 1857–60 | 4 | 37 |
| Morgan, T. P | 1 | 1856–7 | 2 | 9 |
| Morsell, R. T | 1 | 1861 | 1 | 12 |
| Magruder, T. J | 2 | 1854–6 | 3 | 40 |
| Miller, M. H | 2 | 1858–61 | 4 | 64 |
| McKim, S. A. H | 3 | 1854–6 | 3 | 29 |
| McKim, J. W | 3 | 1850 | 1 | 13 |
| Miller, A. W | 3 | 1859–60 | 2 | 11 |
| McKnew, Z. W | 3 | 1859–60 | 2 | 23 |
| Mudd, I | 4 | 1846–8 | 3 | 41 |
| Morgan, J. E | 4 | 1847–9 | 3 | 32 |
| Polk, J. F | 1 | 1854 | 1 | 9 |
| " " | 2 | 1854–6 | 3 | 27 |
| Price, W. F | 3 | 1857–8, 1860 | 3 | 29 |
| Peters, J. H | 3 | 1854–5 | 2 | 13 |
| Pendleton, A. G | 3 | 1856 | 1 | 12 |
| Pearson, P. M | 4 | 1848–56 | 9 | 98 |
| Randolph, W. B | 1 | 1857–9 | 3 | 47 |
| " " | 4 | 1846, 1850–3 | 5 | 84 |
| Ricketts, R | 1 | 1861 | 1 | 13 |
| Rhees, Wm. J | 2 | 1861 | 1 | 7 |
| Roberts, Jno. M | 3 | 1848–50 | 3 | 20 |
| Russell, C. M | 3 | 1851–3 | 3 | 13 |
| Ruff, G. R | 3 | 1852 | 1 | 8 |
| Smoot, L. R | 1 | 1854–5 | 2 | 12 |
| Stoughton, A. B | 1 | 1858–9 | 2 | 19 |
| Stewart, F. S | 3 | 1861 | 1 | 8 |
| Towle, N. C | 3 | 1847–8 | 2 | 15 |
| Utermehle, C. H | 2 | 1861 | 1 | 11 |
| Van Santvoord, Jno | 1 | 1857 | 1 | 13 |
| Van Riswick, J | 4 | 1848 | 1 | 3 |
| Wilson, W | 1 | 1856 | 1 | 14 |

## *List of Trustees*—Continued.

| Name. | District. | School Years. | No. of years. | No. of meetings attended. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wilson, J. O | 1 | 1861 | 1 | 14 |
| Watterston, G | 3 | 1846-8 | 3 | 34 |
| Walsh, Jos | 3 | 1860 | 1 | 5 |
| Walsh, F. S | 3 | 1850-3, 57-61 | 9 | 134 |
| Wight, O. C | 3 | 1861 | 1 | 13 |
| Wheeler, E | 4 | 1855-6 | 2 | 11 |
| Wilson, C | 4 | 1857 | 1 | 14 |
| Willett, J. E | 4 | 1857-60 | 4 | 60 |
| Whyte, F | 4 | 1857-60 | 4 | 48 |
| Young, W. P | 2 | 1857 | 1 | 8 |

# Officers of the Board.

*President.*—The Mayor of the City.

*Secretary.*—W. J. McCormick, 1845—1848.
C. A. Davis, 1849—1853.
G. J. Abbott, 1854—1856.
S. A. H. McKim, 1856—1857.
R. Ricketts, 1857—1861.
W. B. Dayton, 1861—

*Treasurer.*—W. B. Randolph, 1845—1848.
G. J. Abbott, 1848—1849.
V. Harbaugh, 1849—1854.
P. F. Bacon, 1854—1855.
T. J. Magruder, 1855—1857.
V. Harbaugh, 1857—1861.
John Sessford. 1861—

## FIRST DISTRICT. (First and Second Wards.)

| | Name of School. | Location. | Public School-house or rented. | Annual Rent. | SIZE OF ROOM. | | | Name of Teacher. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Length. | Width. | Height. | |
| Male..... | Grammar..... | S. W. cor. Q st. and 14th..... | P... | ..... | 37.9 | 24.11 | 13.9 | S. J. Thomson. |
| Female.. | .....do..... | H, bet. 13th and 14th..... | R... | ..... | 45.6 | 36.00 | 13.2 | Mary P. Middleton. |
| Male..... | Intermediate.... | 19th st., bet. H and P. Av.... | R... | $80 | 50.0 | 40.00 | 10.6 | Mrs. Maria E. Rodier. |
| Female.. | .....do..... | S. E. cor. G. and 14th..... | P... | ..... | 40.0 | 28.00 | 14.0 | Adeline K. Lowe. |
| Female.. | Secondary, No. 1 | 14th, between I and K..... | R... | 150 | 35.0 | 20.00 | 10.0 | Fannie E. Hoover. |
| Male..... | .....do.....2 | S. W. corner Q and 14th..... | P... | ..... | 37.9 | 24 11 | 12.5 | Henrietta H Slater. |
| Female.. | .....do.....3 | 19th st., bet. H and Pa Av... | R .. | 160 | 57.0 | 38.00 | 12.0 | Annie E Evans. |
| Male. ... | .....do.....4 | S. E. corner 19th and H..... | R. . | 100 | 50.0 | 40.00 | 10.0 | Mary Jane Mills. |
| Female.. | .....do.....5 | 14th, bet. D and Ohio Av..... | P... | ..... | 45.0 | 20.00 | 13.0 | Letitia B. Allen. |
| Male..... | Primary, No. 1 | S. E. cor. 19th and H..... | R... | 100 | 30.0 | 24.00 | 10.0 | Emily Robinson. |
| Female.. | .....do.....2 | S. W. cor. Pa. Av. and 19th.. | R | With Sec. No. 3. | 57.0 | 38.00 | 12.0 | Sarah V. Triplett. |

## SECOND DISTRICT. (Third and Fourth Wards.)

| | Name of School. | Location. | Public School-house or rented. | Annual Rent. | Size of Room. | | | Name of Teacher. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Length. | Width. | Height. | |
| Male .... | Grammar..... | 6th and N. Y: Avenue..... | P... | ..... | 38.10 | 25.7 | 12.3 | Thomas M Wilson. |
| Female.. | .....do..... | Corner 10th and E..... | R.. | * | 37.6 | 29.6 | 12.0 | Eliza H. Boggs |
| Male..... | Intermediate.... | 6th and New York Avenue.. | P... | ..... | 38.0 | 25.7 | 12.3 | Mrs. Emily Myers. |
| Female.. | .....do..... | Cor. 10th and E..... | R.. | * | 38.0 | 27.0 | 9.6 | Emily V. Billing. |
| Female.. | Secondary No. 1 | S. W. corner 5th and I ..... | R.. | $100 | 33.4 | 27.0 | 10.4 | Bell Acton. |
| Male..... | .....do.....2 | 5th, Mass. Av., and I..... | R.. | † | 26.7 | 23.3 | 9.5 | Sabra P. Abell. |
| Female.. | .....do.....3 | .....do.....do..... | R.. | † | 23.7 | 28.11 | 9.8 | Jane Thomas. |
| Female.. | .....do.....4 | N. E. cor. 10th w. and E north | R.. | * | 37.6 | 25.0 | 14.0 | Mary A. Tucker |
| Female.. | .....do.....5 | 5th, Mass. Av., and I north... | R.. | † | 38.0 | 23.1 | 9.4 | Martha V. Fletcher. |
| Male..... | .....do.....6 | 6th and New York Av..... | P... | ..... | 38.0 | 25.7 | 13.3 | Laura A. Reed. |
| Male..... | Primary, No. 1.. | 5th, Mass. Av. and I..... | R.. | † | 27.11 | 20.9 | 9.5 | Alice M. McIntosh. |
| Female.. | .....do.....2.. | do.....do..... | R.. | † | 30.0 | 24.7 | 10.0 | Maggie E. Flenner. |
| Female.. | .....do.....3.. | Cor. 10th and E ..... | R.. | * | 45.6 | 20.0 | 9.6 | Amanda Baird. |
| Male..... | .....do.....4.. | .....do.....do..... | R.. | * | 45.6 | 16.6 | 9.6 | Maria Y. Davis. |

* $600 for the whole building.
† $400 for the whole building.

## THIRD DISTRICT. (Fifth and Sixth Wards.)

| | Name of School. | Location. | Public School-house or R'd. | Annual Rent. | Size of Room. | | | Name of Teacher. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Length. | Width. | Height. | |
| Male.... | Grammar ..... | Cor 3d and D..... | P... | ..... | 48 0 | 23.5 | 12.0 | W. W. McCathran. |
| Female.. | .....do..... | Cor. 7th and G..... | P... | ..... | 24 0 | 20 0 | 10 0 | Emilie Ramsay.* |
| Male .... | Intermediate.... | Cor. Va. Av. and 5th..... | R . | $100 | 34 6 | 24 0 | 11.0 | Jane G. Moss. |
| Female.. | .....do ..... | E, near 6th..... | R . | 100 | 37 0 | 23.0 | 11.0 | Frances Elvans. |
| Male & F | Secondary, No 1 | 11th, bet. Va. Av. & M..... | R | 60 | 38 0 | 16.0 | 7.6 | Mrs. Eliza W. Clarke. |
| Male & F | .....do.....2 | Not yet organized. | | | | | | |
| Male & F | .....do.. .....3 | N. Capitol, bet. B and C..... | R . | 100 | 42 0 | 33 0 | 8.6 | Margt. E. Simonds. |
| Male & F | .....do.....4 | Cor. 3d and Pa. Av..... | R . | 100 | 27 6 | 29 2 | 10.0 | Mrs. Ellen L. Jenson. |
| Male & F | .....do. .....5 | Cor. 7th and G..... | P... | ..... | 24 0 | 20 0 | 12.6 | Lydia E. Choate. |
| Male..... | .....do .....6 | Va. Av., bet. 5th and 6th..... | R . | 65 | 39 0 | 18 8 | 9.3 | Lucy E. Moore |
| Male & F | .....do. .....7 | Cor. A and 3d..... | P... | ..... | 58.0 | 32 0 | 7 6 | Catherine Morphy. |
| Male & F | .....do .....8 | Cor. 2d and D..... | R . | 100 | 18.0 | 16.0 | 10 6 | Kate M. Sanderson. |
| Female.. | .....do. .....9 | Va. Av., bet. 5th and 6th..... | R . | 65 | 33 0 | 17 0 | 9 1 | Lucy B. Davis. |
| Male & F | .....do.....10 | Cor. A and 3d..... | P... | ..... | 58 0 | 32.0 | 7 6 | Emily E. Tucker. |
| Male & F | ...Primary, No. 1 | N. Capitol, bet. B and C..... | R . | 100 | 42 0 | 33 0 | 8 6 | Josephine S Bird. |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 2 | Cor. A and 3d..... | P... | ..... | 58.0 | 32 0 | 7.6 | Mary Ann Hill. |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 3 | Cor. N and 3d..... | R . | 96 | 19 0 | 19 6 | 9.10 | Mary Aukward. |
| Male & F | ..... do ..... 4 | Not yet organized. | | | | | | |

* Died Dec., 1862.

## FOURTH DISTRICT. (Seventh Ward.)

| | Name of School. | Location. | Public School-house or Rented. | Annual Rent | SIZE OF ROOM | | | Name of Teacher. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Length. | Width. | Height. | |
| Male. ... | Grammar..... | 6th, between D and E..... | P... | ..... | *47 8 | 27.7 | 12 0 | John E. Thompson. |
| Female. | do. ..... | .....do.....do..... | P... | ..... | 47.8 | 27 7 | 12 0 | Margaret A. Milburn* |
| Male..... | Intermediate.... | D, between 4½ and 6th ..... | P... | ..... | 30.0 | 25 0 | 9 0 | Emma L. Reed. |
| Female. | .....do.. ..... | Corner 6th and C..... | R . | $100 | 40.0 | 35 0 | 10 0 | Annie E. Dawes. |
| Male & F | Secondary No. 1 | Va. Av. bet. 4½ and 6th..... | P... | ..... | 30.0 | 25 0 | 9 6 | Annie M. Adams. |
| Male & F | ..... do ..... 2 | I, between 4½ and 6th..... | R. | 75 | 30.0 | 20 0 | 9 0 | Mary A. Lee. |
| Male & F | ..... do ..... 3 | 4½, between M and N..... | P... | .... | 30.0 | 20 0 | 9 0 | Mrs. Mary E. Martin |
| Male & F | .....do..... 4 | D, between 4½ and 6th..... | P... | ..... | 25.0 | 25 0 | 7 6 | Mary A. Bowen. |
| Male. ... | ..... do ..... 5 | .....do.....do..... | P... | ..... | 25.0 | 25 0 | 7 6 | Sarah E. Eckloff. |
| Male.. ... | ..... do..... 6 | .....do.....do..... | P... | ..... | 25.0 | 25 0 | 7.6 | Geneva A. Reed. |
| Female.. | ..... do . 7 | 8th, between D and E..... | R .. | 72 | 32.0 | 18 0 | 10 6 | Maria F. Norris. |
| Female.. | Primary No. 1 | Corner 6th and C..... | R .. | 100 | 40.0 | 35 0 | 10 0 | Josephine A. Lee. |
| Male..... | ..... ...do..... .. 2 | .....do.....do..... | R .. | 100 | 40.0 | 35 0 | 10.0 | Seville Davis. |

* Now Margaret A. Amidon, Jan., 1863.

| | Name of School. | AGES OF PUPILS. | | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | No. of Pupils receiving Books. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 6. | 7. | 8. | 9. | 10. | 11. | 12. | 13. | 14. | 15. | 16. | 17. | | |
| Male..... | Grammar..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8 | 15 | 13 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 50 | 1 |
| Female.. | .. do..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 | 14 | 29 | 10 | 2 | ..... | 61 | 0 |
| Male..... | Intermediate..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | 7 | 11 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 45 | 3 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | 6 | 9 | 23 | 18 | 8 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 66 | 4 |
| Female.. | Secondary, No. 1... | ..... | 2 | 9 | 11 | 7 | 16 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 1 | 62 | 3 |
| Male..... | .....do ..... ..2... | ..... | 2 | 8 | 13 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 53 | 3 |
| Female.. | .....do.....3... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 | 9 | 11 | 14 | 4 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 54 | 5 |
| Male..... | ..... do.....4... | ..... | 2 | 5 | 11 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 49 | 2 |
| Female. | .....do . ..5... | 5 | 6 | 6 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 45 | 1 |
| Male..... | Primary, No. 1.... | 12 | 17 | 12 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 2 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 59 | 0 |
| Female.. | .....do..... 2.... | 14 | 16 | 21 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 67 | 1 |
| | | 31 | 46 | 63 | 81 | 64 | 74 | 90 | 64 | 59 | 19 | 9 | 2 | 602 | 23 |

## SECOND DISTRICT.

| | Name of School. | AGES OF PUPILS. | | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | No. of Pupils receiving Books. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 6. | 7. | 8. | 9. | 10. | 11. | 12. | 13. | 14. | 15. | 16. | 17. | | |
| Male..... | Grammar..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 15 | 10 | 6 | 2 | ..... | 44 | 0 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 1 | 8 | 22 | 7 | 10 | 6 | 56 | 1 |
| Male..... | Intermediate..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 20 | 16 | 5 | 13 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 57 | 2 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | 19 | 17 | 19 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 59 | 3 |
| Female.. | Secondary, No. 1... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 5 | ..... | ..... | 59 | 3 |
| Male..... | .....do.....2... | ..... | 4 | 2 | 9 | 17 | 13 | 11 | 2 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 60 | 3 |
| Female.. | .....do.....3... | ..... | 1 | ..... | 2 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 44 | 2 |
| Female.. | .....do.....4... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 7 | 13 | 5 | 13 | 3 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 45 | 4 |
| Female.. | .....do.....5... | 1 | ..... | 3 | 5 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 2 | .... | ..... | ..... | 39 | 1 |
| Male..... | .....do .....6... | ..... | 3 | 2 | 9 | 13 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 57 | 1 |
| Male..... | Primary, No. 1..... | 4 | 13 | 14 | 17 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 61 | 0 |
| Female.. | .....do.....2..... | 12 | 7 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 56 | 0 |
| Female.. | .....do.....3..... | 6 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 13 | 9 | 1 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 57 | 1 |
| Male..... | .....de.....4..... | 2 | 12 | 10 | 21 | 5 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 51 | 0 |
| | | 26 | 50 | 56 | 103 | 106 | 102 | 105 | 72 | 82 | 25 | 12 | 6 | 745 | 21 |

| | Name of School. | AGES OF PUPILS. | | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | No. of Pupils receiving Books. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 6. | 7. | 8. | 9. | 10. | 11. | 12. | 13. | 14. | 15. | 16. | 17. | | |
| Male..... | Grammar..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 7 | 11 | 13 | 19 | 5 | ..... | ..... | 56 | 4 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 60 | 11 |
| Male..... | Intermediate ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | 11 | 9 | 15 | 17 | 5 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 60 | 2 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 3 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 12 | 7 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 62 | 7 |
| Male & F | Secondary, No. 1... | 3 | 6 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 6 | 2 | ..... | .... | ..... | .... | 62 | 9 |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 2... | Not organized. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Male & F | ..... do ..... 3... | 2 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 6 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 50 | 4 |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 4... | 4 | 6 | 11 | 12 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 1 | 65 | 5 |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 5... | 2 | 5 | 11 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 6 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 60 | 6 |
| Male. ... | .....do ..... 6... | 2 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 12 | 7 | 11 | 6 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 61 | 7 |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 7... | 3 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 60 | 5 |
| Male & F | ..... do ..... 8... | 2 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | ..... | ..... | 42 | 9 |
| Female.. | .....do ..... 9... | ..... | 1 | 5 | 17 | 10 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 1 | ..... | .... | 60 | 13 |
| Male & F | .....do .....10... | ..... | 1 | 15 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 4 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | 61 | 5 |
| Male & F | Primary, No. 1... | 4 | 7 | 13 | 12 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | .... | 57 | 2 |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 2... | 6 | 20 | 13 | 14 | 17 | 3 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 74 | ..... |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 3... | 7 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | 60 | 3 |
| Male & F | .....do ..... 4... | Not organized. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 35 | 78 | 119 | 126 | 138 | 135 | 119 | 107 | 60 | 25 | 5 | 3 | 950 | 95 |

## FOURTH DISTRICT.

| | Name of School. | AGES OF PUPILS. | | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | No. of Pupils receiving Books. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 6. | 7. | 8. | 9. | 10. | 11. | 12. | 13. | 14. | 15. | 16. | 17. | 18. | | |
| Male ... | Grammar..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 8 | 17 | 13 | 12 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 62 | 6 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | .... | ..... | 2 | 1 | 10 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 4 | 2 | ..... | 62 | 4 |
| Male..... | Intermediate..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | 6 | 9 | 18 | 17 | 2 | 2 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 60 | 9 |
| Female.. | .....do..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 4 | 6 | 15 | 15 | 8 | 10 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 63 | 10 |
| Male & F | Secondary No. 1.. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 11 | 23 | 13 | 14 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 61 | 3 |
| Male & F | .....do.....2... | 2 | 6 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 55 | 0 |
| Male & F | .....do.....3... | 11 | 10 | 6 | 12 | 11 | 5 | 7 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 62 | 7 |
| Male & F | ..... do.....4... | 3 | 4 | 13 | 13 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 61 | 3 |
| Male..... | .....do.....5... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 16 | 2 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 64 | 4 |
| Male & F | .....do.....6... | 1 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .... | 60 | 6 |
| Female.. | .....do.....7... | 2 | 3 | 7 | 10 | 13 | 9 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 62 | 8 |
| Male & F | Primary, No. 1.... | 17 | 17 | 15 | 7 | 3 | 2 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 62 | 0 |
| Male..... | .....do .....2.... | 12 | 21 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 61 | 3 |
| | | 48 | 71 | 77 | 95 | 111 | 82 | 107 | 99 | 45 | 41 | 14 | 4 | 1 | 795 | 63 |

| Names. | District. | Residence. | Where Educated. | When Appointed. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abell, Sabra P..... ... | 2 | 3d east, bet. E. Capitol & A south . | Boston, Mass..... | Nov., 1862. |
| Acton, Bell ..... ..... | 2 | 565 11th east, bet. M and N south..... | Washington, D. C..... | Oct., 1852. |
| Adams, Annie M..... | 4 | 429 11th, bet. G and H..... | Georgetown, D. C..... | Mar., 1854. |
| Allen, Letitia B..... | 1 | 305 Pa. Av., bet. 9th and 10th..... | Washington, D. C..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Aukward, Mary ..... | 3 | 761 3d east, bet. M and N south..... | .....do..... ..... | Sept., 1860. |
| Baird, Amanda ..... | 2 | 326 Va. Av., bet. 6th and 7th west..... | ..... do..... | Feb., 1860. |
| Billing, Emily V..... | 2 | 446 K north, bet. 6th and 7th west..... | .....do..... | Mar., 1850. |
| Bird, Josephine S..... | 3 | 463 Va. Av., bet. 2d and 3d east..... | ..... do..... ..... ... | Feb., 1860. |
| Boggs, Eliz. H..... | 2 | 497 L north, bet. 9th and 10th west..... | Pennington, N. J..... | Sept., 1859. |
| Bowen, Mary Anne ... | 4 | 346 Va. Av., bet. 4½ and 6th west..... | Washington, D. C..... | Sept., 1861. |
| Choate, Lydia E ..... | 3 | 485 6th west, bet. C and La. Av..... | .....do..... | Jan., 1857. |
| Clarke, Eliza W..... | 3 | 614 10th east, bet. Va. Av. & M south.. | ..... do..... | Sept., 1849. |
| Daniel, J. C..... ..... | ..... | 378 5th west, bet. G and H north..... | ..... | 1860. |
| Davis, Lucy B ..... | 3 | 427 Pa. Av., bet. 3d and 4½..... | Gloucester & Salem, Mass. | Sept., 1859. |
| Davis, Maria Y..... | 2 | 279 7th west, bet. L and M north..... | Washington, D. C..... | Oct., 1862. |
| Davis, Seville ..... | 4 | 470 K south, bet. 9th and 10th east..... | ..... do..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Dawes, Annie E..... | 4 | 387 6th, bet. G and H..... | Worthington, O ..... | Jan., 1858. |
| Eckloff, Sarah E..... | 4 | 59 G, bet. 9th and 10th..... ..... | Washington, D. C..... | Sept., 1857. |
| Elvans, Frances ..... | 3 | 575 Md. Av., bet. 9th and 10th west..... | .....do..... | June, 1851. |
| Evans, Annie Eliz ..... | 1 | 403 12th, bet. I and K north..... | .....do..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Flenner, Maggie E..... | 2 | 477 I north, bet. 8th and 9th west..... | .....do..... ..... | May, 1861. |
| Fletcher, Martha V ... | 2 | 502 K north, bet. 4th and 5th west..... | .....do..... | May, 1858. |
| Hill, Mary Ann ..... | 3 | 122 E. Capitol, bet. 4th and 5th east... | .....do..... | Mar., 1860. |

## LIST OF TEACHERS—Continued.

| Names. | District. | Residence. | Where Educated. | When Appointed. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hoover, Fannie E..... | 1 | 209 6th st. west..... | Northville, Ct., & Wash'n. | Mar., 1857. |
| Jenson, Ellen L ..... | 3 | 506 E st., bet. 3d and 4th east..... | Washington, D. C..... | Sept., 1855. |
| Lee, Josephine A..... | 4 | 516 Md. Av., bet. 4½ and 6th..... | .....do..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Lee, Mary Ann ..... | 4 | 516 Md. Av., bet. 4½ and 6th..... | .....do..... | Feb., 1854. |
| Lowe, Adeline K..... | 1 | 405 L st. and 11th west..... | .....do ..... | Oct., 1851. |
| Martin, Mary E ..... | 4 | 809 6th west., bet. M and N south..... | .....do..... | Feb., 1858. |
| McCathran, W. W. ..... | 3 | 424 G south, bet. 7th and 8th east..... | .....do..... | April, 1850. |
| McIntosh, Alice..... | 2 | 369 9th west, bet. I and N. Y. Av..... | ..... do..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Middleton, Mary P..... | 1 | 342 9th west, bet. K and L north..... | Lancaster, Pa..... | 1851 |
| Milburn, Margaret A... | 4 | 285 Cor. 7th west and Va. Av..... | Washington, D. C..... | Sept., 1850. |
| Mills, Mary Jane..... | 1 | 221 22d, bet. G and H north..... | .....do..... | Sept., 1856. |
| Moore, Lucy Ella ..... | 3 | 452 3d, bet. E. Capitol and A st..... | Nashua and Peterboro', N. H., and Westford, Mass. | June, 1855. |
| Morphy, Catherine..... | 3 | 578 C south, bet. 2d and 3d east..... | New York..... | 1858. |
| Moss, Jane Gertrude... | 3 | 554 7th east, bet. F and G south..... | Washington, D. C..... | Feb., 1849. |
| Myers, Emily ..... | 2 | 461 Cor. F north and 11th west..... | .....do..... | Sept., 1852. |
| Norris, Maria F. ..... | 2 | 537 11th west, bet. Va. Av. and C south.. | do..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Ramsay, Emilie ..... | 3 | 538 7th east, bet. E and G south..... | Washington, Pa. | |
| Reed, Emma L ... | 4 | 433 I north, bet. 9th and 10th west..... | Washington, D. C..... | Sept., 1857. |
| Reed, Geneva A..... | 4 | 497 1st, bet. Md. Av. and D south..... | .....do..... | Jan., 1859. |
| Reed, Laura A..... | 2 | 433 I north, bet. 9th and 10th west..... | ..... do ..... | Nov., 1856. |
| Robinson, Emily..... | 1 | 438 Mass. Av., bet. 6th and 7th west... | .....do..... | Sept., 1857. |
| Rodier, Maria E. ..... | 1 | 16th west, near K north..... | .....do..... | Feb., 1849. |

## LIST OF TEACHERS—Continued.

| Names. | District. | Residence. | Where Educated. | When Appointed. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sanderson, Kate M.... | 3 | 6th east, bet. Pa. Av. and D south.. | Washington, D. C | Feb., 1858. |
| Simonds, Margaret E... | 3 | 547 6th east, bet. G and I south..... | .....do..... | Sept., 1855. |
| Slater, Henrietta H. .... | 1 | 665 N. J. Av., bet. D and E south..... | ..... do..... | Sept., 1856. |
| Thomas, Jane. ..... | 2 | 502 I north, bet. 6th and 7th west..... | England ..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Thompson, John E..... | 4 | E north, bet. 2d and 3d west..... | Washington, D. C..... | Jan., 1848. |
| Thomson, S. John..... | 1 | 406 12th west, bet. I and K north..... | .....do..... | Jan., 1854. |
| Triplett, Sarah V..... | 1 | 16th west, bet. K and L north..... | .....do..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Tucker, Emily E..... | 3 | I south, bet. 6th and 7th east..... | .....do..... | 1859. |
| Tucker, Mary A..... | 2 | 326 9th west, bet. L and M north..... | Baltimore, Md..... | Sept., 1862. |
| Wilson, Thomas M ..... | 2 | 5th west, bet. M and N north..... | Carlisle, Pa..... | April, 18.. |

### SUB-ASSISTANTS.

1st District, Oceana L. Walker..468 12th, bet. F and G.
2d " Sallie Rodier.....16th street, near K.
3d " Addie Thompson.....721 3d street east.
4th " Hattie Magee.....35 F street south.

# ENACTMENTS

RELATING TO THE

# Public Schools of Washington.

Principally those now in force, 1862.

The corporation of Washington shall have power and authority to provide for the establishment and superintendence of Public Schools, and to endow the same.—*Act of Congress, May* 15, 1820.

Impressed with a sense of the inseparable connection between the education of youth and the prevalence of pure morals, with the duty of all communities to place within the reach of the poor as well as the rich the inestimable blessings of knowledge, and with the high necessity of establishing at the seat of the General Government proper seminaries of learning, the City Councils do pass an act to establish and endow a permanent institution for the education of youth in the city of Washington. The superintendence of public schools within the city of Washington shall be placed under the direction of a Board of Trustees chosen from among the residents of the city. The Board shall appoint a Treasurer. They shall have power to receive donations, and to vest and apply the funds placed under their care in such a manner as they may see fit, not inconsistent with the acts of the Council.

Approved December 5, 1804.

By the act of July 27th, 1826, in compliance with the requisitions of the charter, and agreeably to certain resolutions passed by the corporation and approved by the President of the United States, the sum of $40,000 is appropriated, solemnly pledged, and set apart for endowing the Public Schools of Washington. The Mayor is authorized and required to purchase corporation and other safe stocks, bearing an interest of not less than six per centum per annum, to be kept vested cont nually and forever after, by the said Mayor, for the support of Public Schools.

By the act of February 25, 1833, the Mayor is authorized and required to purchase annually for the school fund, to be set apart forever for the endowment and support of Public Schools in the city of Washington, corporation or other safe stock, bearing an interest of not less than six per cent. per annum, with the entire balance which may remain to the credit of said fund over and above the amount appropriated in each year for the support of Public Schools.

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AN ACT LAYING A SCHOOL TAX AND PROVIDING FOR ITS COLLECTION.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there be and hereby is imposed and laid for the year eighteen hundred and forty-eight, and for each and every year thereafter, a school tax of one dollar upon every free white male citizen of this city of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, which shall be due and payable at the same time, and shall

be collected in the same manner, as the taxes upon personal property are collected; and the regulations, limitations, and restrictions prescribed by law in relation to the collection of the taxes upon personal property are hereby made applicable to the collection of the school tax imposed by this act: *Provided*, That the school tax hereby imposed for the year eighteen hundred and forty-eight shall be due and payable immediately after the passage of this act, and the return by the Assessors of the persons subject to the same.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That whenever the Assessors shall make return to the Register of the persons by this act made subject to the school tax, it shall be his duty to place a copy of the said return forthwith in the hands of the Collector of Taxes, who shall proceed to collect the said school tax as soon as the same becomes due and payable; and in default of the payment of said school tax, by any person subject to the same, within ninety days after the same shall have become due and payable, it shall be the duty of the Collector of Taxes to collect the same by distress and sale of the goods and chattels and personal effects of the person chargeable therewith; but no such sale shall be made unless ten days' previous notice thereof be given in some newspaper printed and published in this city.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the proceeds of the school tax imposed by this act be and the same are hereby set apart and pledged for the establishment and support of public schools in this city, and for no other purpose, and it shall be the duty of the Collec-

tor of Taxes to keep a separate and distinct account of all money which may be received on account of the said school tax, and he shall deposit the same weekly to the credit of the school fund of this corporation.

Approved May 22, 1848.

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AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO DISPOSE OF OLD AND DILAPIDATED SCHOOL FURNITURE.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Trustees of Public Schools be and they are hereby authorized to sell or otherwise dispose of such old and dilapidated school furniture as may not be needed in the Public Schools, and apply the proceeds thereof to the payment of the contingent expenses of said schools: *Provided*, That all such sales and expenditures shall be accounted for in the usual manner in the annual reports of said Trustees.

Approved March 24, 1855.

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JOINT RESOLUTIONS RELATING TO ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES OF SCHOOLS.

*Resolved, &c.*, That the Board of Trustees of the Public Schools furnish the Councils, at the first business meeting thereof in JUNE annually, with an estimate of the amount necessary for the support of public schools for the succeeding scholastic year.

*Resolved, further*, That all expenditures for public schools be kept within the amounts appropriated for the same.

Approved November 27, 1855.

AN ACT FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to molest or disturb any of the public schools of this city, or any teacher or assistant teacher thereof, while in the discharge of his, her, or their duties.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That any person offending against the provisions of the first section of this act, shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less than five nor more than ten dollars, to be collected and applied as other fines due this city are collected and applied; and on failure to pay or to give security to pay the said fine, the person so offending shall be confined in the work-house for a period of not less than thirty nor more than ninety days.

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Approved May 21, 1857.

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRUSTEES TO RENT OR LEASE BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOLS.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Trustees of the Public Schools, with the sanction of the Mayor, be, and they are hereby, authorized to rent or lease, for a period of not more than five years, such building or buildings as may be required for the use of Public Schools: *Provided*, The amount for any one school or department of school, shall not exceed the sum of one hundred dollars per annum.

Approved September 23, 1857.

AN ACT IN RELATION TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That from and after the passage of this act, the city of Washington shall comprise four Public School Districts, to be divided as follows, viz: all of the First and Second Wards shall constitute the First School District; all of the Third and Fourth Wards shall constitute the Second School District; all of the Fifth and Sixth Wards shall constitute the Third School District; and the Seventh Ward shall constitute the Fourth School District.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That annually, on or about the first Monday in October, the Mayor shall appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, a Board of Trustees, consisting of three persons from each School District, who, with the Mayor for the time being as President of said Board, shall have the management of all the Public Schools in the City of Washington; and the absence of any trustee from three successive meetings of the Board, except in case of sickness or necessary temporary absence from the city, shall vacate his seat as a member thereof, and the Secretary of the Board shall, thereupon, notify the Mayor, who shall fill the vacancy by a new appointment in like manner. The said Board shall continue in office until their successors are appointed.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees appointed in accordance with the foregoing section, shall assemble at the City Hall on the first Monday after their appointment, or some early day thereafter, (of which due notice shall be given by the Mayor,) and shall organize themselves.

In case the Mayor shall be absent or be unable to preside at any of the meetings of the said Board, a President *pro tempore* shall be elected by the members present.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor shall, at the same time that he annually appoints the Trustees, also appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, a Secretary, who shall keep a journal of all the proceedings of the Board of Trustees, and perform such other duties as the rules of the Board of Trustees and the nature of the office may require.

The Mayor shall, in like manner, appoint a Treasurer to make the disbursements for the Public Schools and to keep the accounts and vouchers thereof.

It shall be the duty of the Secretary and of the Treasurer to attend the meetings of the Board of Trustees, but they shall have no vote in said Board, and they shall each be allowed a compensation* of two hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly out of the School fund.

The Treasurer shall give bond and security in the sum of two thousand dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees shall have power to appoint all teachers, assistant teachers, and sub-assistant teachers which may be authorized by law, and the same to change at pleasure; to prescribe the course of studies and the books to be used in the schools, but no book shall be changed un-

* See act of October 20, 1860, (p. 30.)

less by a vote of two-thirds of the whole Board, and the books in all the schools in the several districts shall be uniform.

The Board shall also make and execute such By-Laws and Rules and Regulations for the management of the schools as they may deem necessary and proper, a copy of which shall occupy a conspicuous place in each school-room for the government of the teachers and children, and the same to alter, amend, or abrogate at pleasure; and to determine upon, do, and transact all business and matters appertaining to said schools, agreeably to their by-laws and regulations, and subject at all times to the laws of the Corporation.

They shall cause an annual examination of all the Public Schools to be held in or before the month of July, on such day or days as they may from time to time appoint; and shall make a written report to the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council, annually, on or about the first Monday of September, giving a full account of their proceedings for the past year, the condition of the several schools, the number of pupils of each sex, with the studies pursued; and make whatever suggestions from time to time they may conceive proper for the better accomplishment of the objects of this act, and shall give such information as the two Boards, or either of them may at any time call for.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees aforesaid, in addition to the other duties prescribed by this act, shall divide themselves into as many separate sub-boards as there may be school districts, for the ex-

ercise of a practical supervision over the Public Schools placed under their jurisdiction, severally subject at all times to the control of the Board of Trustees.

The said sub-boards shall meet at least once a month at the respective school-houses, on some regular day to be appointed by themselves, and shall cause a journal to be kept by the principal teacher, of the transactions of the schools, the studies pursued, with the names of any and all who may have been admitted, withdrawn, or dismissed from the school, or who may have applied and failed to obtain admission.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That there shall be appointed annually by the Board of Trustees,* one male teacher for each of the district schools, who shall be the principal thereof, and who, during his continuance in office, shall have charge (subject to the direction of the sub-boards of trustees respectively) of the school-house and appurtenances thereof, and shall take due care for its preservation; and the said teachers, and such other teachers, assistant teachers, and sub-assistant teachers, as may be appointed from time to time, shall strictly conform to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Board of Trustees.

The said teachers of the district schools shall respectively receive, as a compensation† for their services, a salary not exceeding the rate of nine hundred dollars per annum; the assistant teachers of the district schools an annual salary of five hundred dollars; the teachers

* See Act of September 1, 1862, (page 34.)

† See Act of September 1, 1862, sec. 3, (page 34.)

of male primary schools an annual salary of five hundred dollars; the principal teachers of primary schools an annual salary of three hundred and fifty dollars; and the assistant teachers of primary schools an annual salary of three hundred dollars; and the sub-assistant teachers, hereinafter authorized, an annual salary of one hundred dollars; each of which salaries shall be payable monthly:

*Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall prevent the Board of Trustees from employing teachers at a less rate of compensation:

*Provided, also*, That such compensation shall be subject to a deduction for any loss of time or absence from duty.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees of the Public Schools be authorized to select the most meritorious and advanced pupil of the female department of each district school, who shall be styled *sub-assistant* teacher, and shall pursue such studies as the Board may determine, under the direction of the teacher of the female department of said district school; and the said sub-assistant teachers shall each in their respective districts supply any vacancy which may occur in any primary school temporarily, whenever they are required to do so by the sub-board of the district to which they are attached.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That all white children between the ages of six and seventeen years, within the respective school districts aforesaid, shall be admitted into the schools, and shall be taught upon the

most approved methods of imparting common-school instruction:

*Provided*, That the parents or guardians of such children shall be *bona fide* residents of the City of Washington; and the Board of Trustees are hereby authorized to cause the necessary books and stationery to be furnished free of charge to all destitute pupils attending any of the public schools of this city.

The male and female pupils shall, as far as practicable, be kept separate during the school hours, and shall have different places assigned them for recreation.

*Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the children of one district from being received into the school of any other district.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees of the Public Schools shall keep an office in the City Hall, in such room as may be selected by the Mayor, where all the books, papers, and other matters relating to the Public Schools, and the proceedings of the said Board of Trustees, shall be kept, and where all the meetings of the said Board shall be held.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees shall annually furnish to the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council, estimates of the amount which may be necessary for the payment of the teachers and assistant teachers, for the purchase of books and stationery, and for all other contingent and necessary expenses of each of said schools; and it shall be the duty of the two boards to make provision by law for the payment of all such salaries and other necessary expenses out of any money to the credit of the school

fund, and when that shall be insufficient, out of the general fund; and all such appropriations shall be subject to the order of the Board of Trustees, from time to time, as the same may be required to be properly disbursed, and for which the receipts shall, in every case, be taken and returned to the Register of the Corporation for settlement.

Sec. 12. *And be it enacted*, That all acts or parts of acts heretofore passed relative to the Public Schools; to organize and establish a Board of Trustees of the Public Schools, the salary of the Secretary and Treasurer, and the duties of the Board, be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Approved November 12, 1858.

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AN ACT MAKING NIGHT SCHOOLS A PERMANENT PORTION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Board of Trustees of Public Schools are hereby authorized and directed to organize, on or about the fifteenth of October, in each and every year, in such manner and under such regulations as they may think it best to prescribe, one night school in each school district where the said Board may deem it advisable; said schools to be kept four consecutive months, unless the Board of Trustees shall deem it advisable to discontinue them sooner.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the Board of Trustees shall employ a competent teacher for each of said schools, at a compensation not exceeding the rate of

fifty dollars per month.* And it shall be the duty of the Board of Trustees when they make out their annual estimate for the support of the Public Schools, to include the schools hereinbefore mentioned.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act, the sum of nine hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the School Fund.

Approved October 15, 1860.

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### An Act fixing the Salary of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Public Schools.

*Be it enacted, &c*, That from and after the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty, the salary of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Public Schools be, and the same is hereby, fixed at five hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly; and that any act or acts which may be inconsistent with this act be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Approved October 20, 1860.

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### An act exempting the Public School-houses from the charge for Tapping the Main, and from Water Rent.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That whenever the Trustees of the Public Schools shall make application to the Water Registrar for permission to tap a water main for the

*See Act of September 1, 1862, sec. 3, (page 34.)

purpose of introducing Potomac water into such portion of any building used by this Corporation as a Public School-house, that officer is hereby authorized to issue his permit for that purpose, without the usual charge in such cases, and all buildings used by this Corporation as aforesaid, are hereby declared exempt from the payment of water rent during such occupancy.

Approved November 23, 1860.

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JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE USE OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL-HOUSE FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES.

*Be it resolved, &c.*, That the Public School-house on square No. 846, may be used by the vestry and congregation of Christ Church, for the purpose of worship and Sabbath schools, under such restrictions as the Trustees of Public Schools may prescribe, during the time that Christ Church may be occupied as a Government hospital, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Sub-Board of Trustees for that District.

Approved June 30, 1862.

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JOINT RESOLUTION GRANTING USE OF SCHOOL-HOUSES IN THIRD DISTRICT.

*Resolved, &c.*, That permission be and is hereby granted the Board of Trustees of Public Schools, to authorize the authorities of the M. E. Church, (east Washington,) to use for Sunday school purposes, under the direction of the sub-board of Trustees of the Public Schools for the Third District, such of the Public

School houses as the said sub-board of Trustees, in their discretion, may designate.

Approved July 7, 1862.

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JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO GRANTING THE USE OF SCHOOL ROOMS FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES.

*Resolved, &c.*, That the authority of this Corporation is hereby given to the sub-boards of the Trustees of the Public Schools, to grant the use of the several school rooms in their respective districts, for religious purposes, to the congregations of any of the Churches which may have been used for Government purposes.

Approved, July 7, 1862.

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ERECTION OF A SCHOOL-HOUSE IN THE FOURTH DISTRICT.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the sum of eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the school fund, for the purpose of building a new school-house and appurtenances, for the use of the first and second departments of Primary School number one, Fourth District; the money to be expended under the direction of, and the site to be selected by, the Mayor and the Sub-Board of said Fourth District.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the act approved July seventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, making an appropriation of five hundred dollars to adapt certain buildings on square two hundred and ninety-four for school purposes, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Approved August 16, 1862.

AN ACT IMPOSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1862.

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SEC. 8. *And be it enacted* That, in addition to th taxes imposed and levied under the foregoing sections of this act, there shall be imposed and levied an additional tax, in all and every case, of *ten cents* on every hundred dollars of the assessed value of property as aforesaid, the proceeds of which shall be set apart and used for the support of the Public Schools of this city, and for no other purpose.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That, in addition to the taxes imposed and levied under the foregoing sections of this act, there shall be imposed and levied an additional tax, in each and every case, of *five cents* on every hundred dollars of the assessed value of property as aforesaid, the proceeds of which shall be set apart and applied exclusively to the building of Public Schoolhouses, and to no other purpose whatever.

Approved August 28, 1862.

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AN ACT GRADING THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND FIXING THE SALARIES OF THE TEACHERS.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Board of Trustees of Public Schools are hereby authorized and directed to classify all the public schools in the city of Washington into four grades, to be designated respectively, as follows: Primary Schools, Secondary Schools, Intermediate Schools, and Grammar Schools; said classification to take effect on and after the first day of September, 1862.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said schools shall be located as follows: In the First School District, there shall be one male grammar school, one female grammar school, one male intermediate school, one female intermediate school, five secondary schools, and two primary schools.

In the Second School District, there shall be one male grammar school, one female grammar school, one male intermediate school, one female intermediate school, seven secondary schools, and three primary schools.

In the Third School District, there shall be one male grammar school, one female grammar school, one male intermediate school, one female intermediate school, ten secondary schools, and four primary schools.

In the Fourth School District, there shall be one male grammar school, one female grammar school, one male intermediate school, one female intermediate school, seven secondary schools, and two primary schools.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the preceptors of the male grammar schools shall receive, respectively, as a compensation for their services, including their services in teaching night schools, established by the act approved on the fifteenth day of October, 1860, a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum.

The preceptresses of the female grammar schools, a salary of five hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

The teachers of the male intermediate schools, a salary of five hundred dollars per annum.

The teachers of the female intermediate schools, a salary of four hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

The teachers of the secondary schools, a salary of three hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

The teachers of the primary schools, a salary of three hundred dollars per annum.

Each of which salaries shall be payable monthly.

*Provided*, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the Board of Trustees from employing teachers at a less rate of compensation.

*Provided, also*, That such compensation shall be subject to a *pro rata* deduction for any loss of time or absence from duty.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That any act or acts, or parts of acts, which may be inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved September 1, 1862.

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO FIT UP ADDITIONAL SCHOOL-ROOMS AT THE CORNER OF E AND TENTH STREETS, IN LIEU OF THOSE OCCUPIED FOR HOSPITAL PURPOSES.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That, for the purpose of altering and fitting up the premises at the corner of E and Tenth streets for the accommodation of additional schools, an appropriation of three hundred and eighty-five dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby, made payable out of the school fund; the same to be expended under the supervision of the Trustees of the Public Schools.

Approved September 6, 1862.

AN ACT TO ORGANIZE AN ADDITIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL IN THE SECOND SCHOOL DISTRICT.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Sub-Board of Public School Trustees for the Second School District, be and they are hereby authorized, to organize one additional Primary School in said Second District for the purpose of meeting the pressing necessities for such Primary School.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the school, when organized, shall be subject to all the rules and regulations prescribed by the Board of Trustees for the government of the Public Schools in the city of Washington.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the sum of seven hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of organizing the school hereinbefore provided for; be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the school fund.

Approved September 27, 1862.

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR TO RENT OR LEASE THE SOUTH PART OF LOT NUMBER FOUR, IN SQUARE NUMBER TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVEN, AND TO PURCHASE THE BUILDING ON THE SAME FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to rent or lease the south part of lot numbered four, in square numbered two hundred and fifty-seven containing two thousand two hundred and eighty feet, for the unexpired term of twenty years,

commencing on the first day of November, eighteen hundred and sixty, and to pay for the same sixty dollars a year; the lease to provide for the privilege of purchasing said lot at any time within the period named, for the sum of nine hundred and twelve dollars.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase for the same purposes the building located on said lot, and to pay for the same the sum of six hundred dollars.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the general fund to purchase said building and to make the necessary alterations therein.

Approved October 2, 1862.

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AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE SALARIES OF THE TEACHERS AND ASSISTANT TEACHERS IN THE SEVERAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE THIRTIETH OF JUNE, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THREE.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That for the payment of the salaries of the teachers and assistant teachers in the several public schools in the city of Washington, for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, the sum of twenty-four thousand five hundred and fifty-eight dollars and thirty-four cents, (24,558.34) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated, pay-

able out of the school fund; the same to be expended under the direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the Public Schools.

Approved October 18, 1862.

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRUSTEES TO ORGANIZE ONE ADDITIONAL SCHOOL IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Board of Trustees of Public Schools be and they are hereby authorized to organize one additional secondary school in the first district.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of paying the salary of the teacher of said school for the present year, procuring a suitable room, stove, fuel, furniture, books, maps, charts, and otherwise carrying into effect the first section of this act, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the school fund.

Approved October 18, 1862.

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JOINT RESOLUTIONS IN REFERENCE TO THE ERECTION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

*Be it resolved, &c.*, That a committee, consisting of two members from the Board of Aldermen and two members from the Board of Common Council, (to be appointed by the respective Presidents of said Board,) and four members from the Board of Trustees of Public Schools, one to be selected from each school district, of which committee the Mayor shall be ex-officio chairman,

be constituted and designated "Committee on the Erection of Public School Buildings."

SEC. 2. *Resolved*, That said Committee be and they hereby are authorized to select and purchase a lot, adopt a plan for a school building, cause said building to be erected, and make and superintend all necessary arrangements for the same.

SEC. 3, *Resolved*, That it is hereby made the duty of said committee to examine and approve all bills contracted in executing the provisions of the foregoing resolutions; and that said bills, when thus approved, shall be paid by the Mayor out of the tax of five cents on a hundred dollars, levied for the special purpose of erecting school buildings.

SEC. 4. *Resolved*, That it is hereby made the duty of said committee to report progress to their respective Boards from time to time whenever called upon for information.

Approved October 18, 1862.*

* Messrs. Richards and Plant were appointed the committee on the part of the Board of Aldermen; Messrs. Utermehle and J. B. Ellis, of the Common Council, and Messrs. Walsh, Wilson, Miller, and Ellis, of the Trustees.

Abstract of proceedings of special committee:

The committee was organized by the selection of the Mayor as Chairman, and Dr. F. S. Walsh as Secretary. The following sub-committees were appointed:

On the selection of a site, Messrs. Walsh, W. M. Ellis and Wilson.

On the selection of a plan, Messrs. Richards, Plant and J. B. Ellis.

On available means, Messrs. Utermehle, Miller and the Mayor.

It was resolved that the available means be appropriated to the purchase of a site and the erection of one school building, and that said building shall be located in the third school district.

The Committee on selection of site, recommended the purchase of

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO ORGANIZE ONE ADDITIONAL SECONDARY SCHOOL IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Board of Trustees of Public Schools be and they are hereby authorized to organize one additional Secondary School in the First District.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of paying the salary of the teacher of said school for the present year, procuring a suitable room, stove, fuel, furniture, books, maps, charts, and otherwise carrying into effect the 1st section of this act, the sum of $750 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the school fund.

Approved, October 18, 1862.

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AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE CONTINGENT AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON FOP THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30TH, 1863.

*Be it enacted &c.*, That for the support of the Public Schools of the city of Washington, for the fiscal year ending June 30th, eighteen hundred and sixty-three,

Square 901, containing about 100,000 square feet with a front of 259 10-12 feet for $ 7,000, which was adopted.

The plan for the school building proposed by Mr. Adolph Cluss, of Washington, was adopted, and that gentleman was employed to prepare working plans, &c., and to superintend the construction of the building. This school house is designed to accommodate 600 pupils, provides a large assembly hall for general exercises, and is estimated to cost $ 20,000.

the following sums of money be and the same are hereby appropriated out of the school fund, and in case of its insufficiency, out of the general fund, to be paid in quarterly instalments and expended under the supervision of the Board of Trustees of Public Schools:

*First School District.*

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| For rent of six school rooms | $870 00 | |
| For fuel, stove fixtures, and putting up stoves | 450 00 | |
| For books, stationery, and maps | 160 00 | |
| For care of school rooms | 250 00 | |
| For contingent expenses, removing school rooms, including furniture, &c., for new school | 500 00 | |
| | | 2,230 00 |

*Second School District.*

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| For rent of school houses and rooms | $1,100 00 | |
| For fuel and stove fixtures | 475 00 | |
| For books, stationery, and maps | 200 00 | |
| For care of school rooms | 300 00 | |
| For contingent expenses | 250 00 | |
| For furniture, and fixtures for new schools | 250 00 | |
| For repairing, removing, and fixing furniture, and purchasing new stoves for three new school rooms | 100 00 | |
| | | 2,675 00 |

*Third School District.*

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| For rent of rooms now occupied | $920 00 | |
| For rent of two additional rooms for ten months, from September 1st, 1862 | 166 66 | |
| For furniture for two additional schools | 300 00 | |
| For stove and fixtures for ditto | 40 00 | |
| For fuel for 18 schools, and for cleaning, repairing, and putting up stoves | 600 00 | |
| For care of school rooms | 300 00 | |
| For books, stationery, and maps | 250 00 | |
| For contingent expenses, removing schools, &c | 450 00 | |
| | | 3,026 66 |

*Fourth School District.*

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| For rent of school houses | $350 00 | |
| For fuel and stoves | 333 50 | |
| For books, stationery, and maps | 170 00 | |
| For care of school rooms | 264 00 | |
| For deficiency in appropriation for furniture | 100 00 | |
| For repairs and other contingent expenses | 592 50 | |
| For furniture and contingent expenses in establishing two additional schools at $240 each | 480 00 | |
| | | 2,200 00 |

*Board of Trustees.*

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| For printing | $250 00 | |
| For contingent expenses Treasurer's office | 150 00 | |
| For salary of Treasurer | 500 00 | |
| For salary of Secretary | 200 00 | |
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| Total | | $11,321 66 |

Approved, November 22, 1862.

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO LEASE A LOT AND ERECT A SCHOOL BUILDING IN THE FIRST SCHOOL DISTRICT.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase or lease, with the privilege of purchase at a stipulated price, at any time during the existence of said lease, a suitable lot in the First School District, for a term not exceeding ten years, and to erect thereon a school-building of sufficient capacity to accommodate two schools of sixty pupils each.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of erecting said school-building, the sum of eight hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the general fund.

Approved November 29, 1862.

# BY-LAWS OF THE BOARD.

## ARTICLE I.

### Stated Meetings.

The stated meetings of the Board shall be held on the second Tuesday of each month.

## ARTICLE II.

### Special Meetings.

At special meetings, the business for which the meeting has been called shall be first disposed of, and no other business shall be transacted unless by consent of a majority of the Board.

## ARTICLE III.

### Order of Business.

At the hour appointed, the President (or, in case of his absence, the President *pro tem.*) shall take the chair, and direct the roll to be called, and the name of any member afterwards appearing shall also be inserted. A quorum being present, the Board shall proceed to business; and no member shall retire without permission of the Chair. The following shall be the order of business, viz:

1. Reading the Journal.
2. Communications.

3. Monthly reports of Teachers.
4. Reports of Standing Committees.
5. Reports of Special Committees.
6. Presentation of bills by the Treasurer.
7. Unfinished business.
8. New business.

## ARTICLE IV.

### President.

He shall preside at all meetings of the Board; shall decide points of order without debate; appoint committees; and call special meetings of the Board when requested in writing by three or more members, or when in his opinion necessary.

## ARTICLE V.

### Secretary.

He shall keep a journal of the proceedings of the Board; preserve books and papers placed under his care; advertise meetings in two daily newspapers of the city at least one day before the meeting; notify the chairman of every committee of the appointment of the same, and furnish him with a copy of the resolution under which it was appointed; and perform such other duties as may from time to time be required by the Board.

## ARTICLE VI.

### Treasurer.

The Treasurer shall disburse the Public School funds, and keep correct books, in which shall be en-

tered the expenditures under each appropriation and an abstract of each account, showing the time of its payment and the name of the payee.

All bills must be approved by the Board before payment, in the following manner:

Bills for the salaries of the Treasurer, Secretary, and Teacher of Music, shall be paid at the end of each month.

Bills for the salaries of all teachers, for rent of school-rooms, and for any purpose not exceeding ten dollars, must be approved by one Trustee of the District in which the expenditure is made.

Bills not named above, and not exceeding fifty dollars, must be approved by two Trustees.

All other bills must be presented to and approved by the whole Board.

The Treasurer shall act as the Librarian of the Board, attend to the reception and delivery of the books, and see that all books, pamphlets, reports, etc., are properly numbered and registered.

He shall keep in convenient form for reference a copy of all acts or resolutions relative to the Public Schools passed by the Councils.

He shall keep an account showing the name of every pupil to whom books are lent, the school and the name of the Trustee approving the requisition, together with the cost of the articles.

He shall have charge of all books, stationery, &c., procured by the Committee on Supplies or the Board, and shall keep a separate account of all articles delivered to the teachers for the use of the schools.

He shall make an *annual* report to the Board, of his receipts and expenditures, showing the amount of the latter for each school, and the aggregate for each district, and shall report to the Board the condition of the school fund whenever required.

## ARTICLE VII.

### Sub-Boards.

The Sub-Boards shall have a general supervision of the schools and school property in their respective districts; shall fill vacancies among teachers, temporarily, and report their action to the Board at its next meeting; shall supply such wants and order such repairs to the buildings, fences, or school furniture, as may be immediately necessary; shall report to the Board any teachers who may prove to be unworthy or unqualified for their trust; shall suggest minor regulations for the pupils or teachers, not in conflict with the rules and regulations of the Board; shall visit the schools in their districts at least once a month, and give such aid and co-operation to the teachers by their counsel as may tend to increase their usefulness and efficiency, and promote harmony among them, and between them and the parents of their pupils.

The Sub-Boards shall superintend all work, repairs, and improvements in their respective districts, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

The Sub-Boards may, from time to time, assign the special charge and supervision of certain schools to each member; but all questions of importance shall

require the action of the whole Sub-Board, or reference to the general Board.

The Sub-Boards, in their respective Districts, shall give advice to the teachers in any emergency, and shall take cognizance of any difficulty which may have occurred between the teachers and parents or guardians of the pupils, or among the teachers themselves, or with any Trustee, relative to the government or instruction of the schools. An appeal, however, to the whole Board can be made by any parent, guardian, or teacher.

## ARTICLE VIII.

### Committees.

The following Standing Committees, consisting of one member from each School District, shall be appointed annually by the President, the first named of which shall be Chairman:

1. On Supplies.
2. On Text-books.
3. On Rules and Regulations.
4. On School-houses and School-rooms.
5. On Examination of Candidates for Teachers.
6. On Accounts and Expenses.
7. On Vocal Music.
8. On Congress and the City Councils.

## ARTICLE IX.

### Duties of the Committee on Supplies.

They shall advertise annually in at least two daily city papers, for proposals for fuel, books, and station-

ery, and they shall purchase all supplies necessary for the schools on the most advantageous terms.

They shall make a report annually, or whenever called upon by the Board.

## ARTICLE X.

### Duties of the Committee on Text Books.

They shall thoroughly examine text books, maps, or school apparatus, proposed to be introduced into the public schools, and shall make a report in writing to the Board, setting forth the reasons for or against their introduction, within three months of the reference to them.

They shall require the author or publisher to furnish each member of the Committee with a copy for examination of any book proposed to be introduced.

In the month of May annually, they shall examine the course of studies prescribed for the schools, and shall recommend to the Board, at the monthly meeting in June, such improvements in the course of instruction and such changes in the books as they may deem expedient.

## ARTICLE XI.

### Duties of the Committee on Rules and Regulations.

They shall take into careful consideration every proposition presented to the Board, to adopt, repeal, or amend any rule or regulation, and shall report in writing their reasons for or against the proposed alteration. They shall prepare and superintend the printing of all blank forms and registers required.

## ARTICLE XII.

**Duties of the Committee on School-houses and School-rooms.**

They shall investigate all propositions made to the Board relative to school-buildings and school-rooms, and from time to time make such reports and suggestions as they may consider calculated to improve the condition of the same.

They shall annually inspect all the school buildings and rooms, and report to the Board their condition, especially in regard to ventilation and security from fire and accident, and recommend such improvements as may promote the health and comfort of teachers and scholars.

## ARTICLE XIII.

**Duties of the Committee on Examination of Candidates for Teachers.**

They shall require evidence of the good moral character of all applicants for positions of teacher in the public schools, and ascertain by personal examination their literary qualifications and capacity for the government of schools.

They shall report at the next stated meeting of the Board after each examination, the names and residences of all candidates found qualified, whether for Grammar, Intermediate, Secondary, or Primary schools, with such other facts as they may deem necessary for the information of the Board.

## ARTICLE XIV.

**Duties of the Committee on Accounts and Expenses.**

They shall report to the Board at the stated meeting in July the annual estimates of appropriations.

They shall make an examination *quarterly* of the accounts of the Treasurer, and report the amount of the bills paid, and for what purposes, in each District.

They shall have control of all incidental expenses of the Board.

## ARTICLE XV.

**Duties of the Committee on Vocal Music.**

They shall exercise a general supervision over this department of instruction in all the schools. They shall nominate to the Board a suitably qualified person as Teacher of Music; they shall make an annual examination of each school in music, and submit a written report thereof to the Board.

## ARTICLE XVI.

**Duties of the Committee on Congress and the City Councils.**

They shall represent the interests of the public schools of Washington, in all cases where legislation by Congress or the City Councils is desired by the Board, relative to the promotion of education or the improvement of the school system in the city of Washington.

## ARTICLE XVII.

### Reports of Committees.

The Chairman of each Committee shall make all reports to the Board, with the signatures of the members concurring therein.

## ARTICLE XVIII.

### Resolutions.

No resolution shall be acted on unless presented in writing, over the signature of the member presenting it; and when the question is put, every member present shall vote, unless excused by the Board.

## ARTICLE XIX.

### Amendments.

No amendment to the By-Laws of the Board, or the Regulations of the Schools, shall be made, unless it be proposed in writing at a stated meeting, and receive at a subsequent stated meeting the vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Board.

# General Regulations of the Public Schools.

## Admission.

1. All white children, between the ages of six and seventeen years, shall be entitled to admission into the schools within the respective School Districts, in accordance with the following rules:

2. Application for admission shall be made to a Trustee of the School District in which the party applying resides; who, on being satisfied that the child is a suitable candidate for admission, shall grant a ticket, addressed to the teacher of such school within his district as he may think proper.

3. All tickets shall be placed on the register by the teacher as soon as received, and as vacancies occur they shall be filled by candidates in the order of their tickets.

4. Should admission in regular order be refused to any applicant, or should a teacher be unable to find the next applicant to fill a vacancy, it shall be the duty of such teacher to report the fact to the Sub-Board of the district, before the admission of the next in order, and to state on the register, opposite the name, why such applicant was not admitted.

5. At the commencement of each scholastic year, the order of admission of pupils shall be as follows:

I. The pupils who were such at the close of the last year.

II. Transfers from other schools.

III. Applications in the order of the presentation of tickets.

6. Transfers from schools of a lower grade to those of a higher, shall only be made during the first weeks of September and January, and only those shall be promoted whose attendance, conduct and improvement have been satisfactory to the Sub-Board.

7. The number of pupils in any school shall not exceed sixty for each teacher; but this number may be reduced at the discretion of the Board.

8. No pupil shall be received from one Public School into another without a certificate of honorable dismission, or satisfactory reasons for leaving.

9. No pupil shall be transferred from a school in one district into that of another, unless by the written consent of two members of the Sub-Board of the district from which the scholar is transferred.

10. Children shall be admitted into the schools of such grade as they shall, after examination by the Sub-Board or teacher, be found qualified to enter, and no pupil shall be admitted into a Grammar school who is under ten years of age.

**11. Examination Necessary for Admission.**

I. Is the applicant within the ages of six and seventeen years?

II. Has the applicant been vaccinated or otherwise protected against small-pox?

III. Is the applicant a pupil of any Public School; and if so, why is application made for a change?

IV. Has the applicant been heretofore a pupil of any of the Public Schools; and if so, what was the cause for leaving?

V. Has application been made to any other member of the Board for a ticket of admission or transfer; and if so, why was it not granted?

VI. Is the parent or guardian a *bona fide* resident of the city of Washington?

## Course of Study.

12. The opening exercises in every school shall commence with reading a portion of the Bible (without note or comment) by the teacher, and appropriate singing by the pupils.

13. Worcester's Dictionary shall be used in all the schools.

### 14. Primary Schools.

The Alphabet—including the powers of the letters, exercises in articulation, for the purpose of cultivating a distinct, natural, and correct utterance of words; Spelling; Reading; Marks of Abbreviation and Punctuation; Arithmetical Signs and Tables; Singing; exercises in Writing and Drawing on the slate and black-board.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Philbrick's Tablets.
Swan's Primary School Spelling Book.
Parker & Watson's Primer or Word-Builder.
Parker & Watson's First Reader.
Greenleaf's New Primary Arithmetic.

### 15. Secondary Schools.

Continuation of studies in Primary schools, and in addition Mental Arithmetic, Practical Arithmetic, Primary Geography, Penmanship, and Vocal Music.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Swan's Spelling Book.
Parker & Watson's Second and Third Readers.
Potter & Hammond's Writing Books.
Colburn's Mental Arithmetic.
Greenleaf's Common School Arithmetic.
Warren's Primary Geography.
The Golden Wreath.

### 16. Intermediate Schools.

Continuation of studies in Secondary Schools, and in addition, Grammar, History, Constitution of the United States, Composition, and Drawing.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Swan's Spelling Book.
Parker & Watson's Third and Fourth Readers.
Potter & Hammond's Writing Books.
Colburn's Mental Arithmetic.
Greenleaf's Common School Arithmetic.

Warren's Common School Geography.
Kerl's Elementary English Grammar.
First Lessons in History of the United States.
Shurtleff's Governmental Instructor.
Quackenbos' First Lessons in English Composition.
The Concordia.

### 17. Grammar Schools.

Continuation of studies in Intermediate Schools, and in addition, Algebra, Geometry, Mensuration, Surveying, Book-keeping, Physiology, Philosophy, Botany, Astronomy, Elocution.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Potter & Hammond's Writing Books.
Worcester's Pronouncing Speller.
Scholar's Companion.
Parker & Watson's Fourth and Fifth Readers.
Davies' Intellectual Arithmetic.
Greenleaf's Common School Arithmetic.
Greenleaf's National Arithmetic.
Davies' Practical Mathematics.
Greenleaf's Algebra, Geometry, and Mensuration.
Warren's Common School Geography.
Warren's Physical Geography.
Mitchell's Ancient Geography.
Bullion's Analytical and Practical Grammar.
Kerl's Comprehensive English Grammar.
Quackenbos' History of the United States.
Shurtleff's Governmental Instructor.
Quackenbos' First Lessons in English Composition.

Quackenbos' Course of Composition and Rhetoric.
Peterson's Familiar Science.
Comstock's Natural Philosophy.
Upham's Mental Philosophy
Mrs. Phelps' Botany.
Burritt's Geography of the Heavens.
Cutter's Physiology.
Winchester's Davies' Surveying.
American Musical Class Book.
Book-keeping.

## Rules relative to Teachers.

18. Teachers of Grammar Schools must be not less than twenty-one years of age; of Primary, Secondary, and Intermediate Schools, not less than eighteen years of age; and Sub-Assistants not less than sixteen years of age.

19. No promotion of a teacher shall be made until an appropriate examination shall have been passed, and a certificate obtained from the Committee on Examination of Teachers.

20. Teachers may be assigned or transferred to such schools as the Board of Trustees may deem best for the public interest.

21. Teachers shall give at least one month's written notice of their intention to resign, to the Sub-Board of their Districts, under forfeiture of the pay due.

22. Teachers are required to be at the school-room at least fifteen minutes before the hour of opening the

schools, and when failing to do so, shall report themselves "tardy" on the monthly report, and assign the reasons.

23. No teacher shall be absent from school at any time during the scholastic year without the written permission of at least one member of the Sub-Board, except in cases of sickness or the presence of contagious disease in the family, which shall be forthwith communicated to the Sub-Board, and specified in the monthly report.

24. In each Public School a register shall be carefully kept, in which shall be recorded the name, age, and number of every pupil, the time of admission, and by whose ticket; the name, residence, and occupation of the parent or guardian, and also the names of all applicants for admission.

25. In addition to the register of admissions, each teacher shall keep a daily record of attendance, deportment, and recitations, in such form as may be prescribed, which shall at all times be open to the inspection of the Trustees. A copy, or abstract, as may be required, of this record shall be made out and sent to a member of the Sub-Board within three days from the end of every month.

26. At the close of the school year each teacher shall submit to the Board a condensed abstract of the monthly reports of the school for the year, in such form as may be required by the Board.

27. The Treasurer shall withhold all money due any teacher who has failed to produce his or her Monthly

and Annual Reports, and the nomination of any such teacher for re-election shall not be considered.

28. All records and registers when full shall be deposited by the teacher in the library of the Board.

29. An allowance of stationery for Public School purposes, not to exceed $2,50 per annum for each teacher, shall be furnished by the Treasurer upon requisition of the teacher of each school, approved by a member of the Sub-Board.

30. Whenever books are furnished to destitute pupils, the teachers shall charge them in a book kept for the purpose, and shall require them to be returned when the pupils leave the school.

31. Teachers are strictly prohibited from using any other text-books than those designated by the Board of Trustees, and no book shall be used in a school of inferior grade to that for which it is prescribed in the list of text-books.

32. The teachers of all the schools shall assign one or more lessons to be studied by the pupils daily out of school.

33. The teachers shall attend to the physical education and comfort of the pupils under their care. When from the state of the weather or other causes the recesses in the open air shall be impracticable, the children may be exercised within the room, in accordance with the best judgment and ability of the teachers.

34. Teachers are required, at all seasons of the year, to make the ventilation and temperature of the school-houses an especial object of attention.

35. The windows in the rooms must be opened for the free admission of air at recess, and at no time must the temperature of the rooms be higher than 68 degrees.

36. Reading newspapers, magazines, etc., and conversation for more than five minutes with other teachers or visitors, is forbidden.

37. No teacher shall use tobacco in any form during school hours, nor at any time in or about the school building.

38. Mild and conciliatory discipline is enjoined on all teachers, and the avoidance of corporal punishment, as far as may be, with a due regard to the necessity for obedience on the part of the pupil.

39. It shall be the duty of the teacher to see that the doors of the school-house, and other houses attached thereto, are locked, and the windows shut and fastened every day after the close of the school.

40. Teachers shall prevent (as far as possible) the pupils from gathering on the school premises before the hours for opening the school-rooms, and they shall require the pupils to leave the premises immediately after the close of the school.

41. No pupil shall be allowed to depart before the appointed hour of leaving school, except in case of sickness, or the request of the parents or guardians, or for some pressing emergency, of which the teacher shall judge.

42. Teachers shall not be allowed to send their pupils on errands during school hours, except on urgent school business.

43. No teacher shall be allowed to present any premiums or gifts to any scholar at the public distributions.

44. No subscription or contribution for any purpose whatever shall be introduced into any public school, unless authorized by the Board.

45. No advertisement shall be read to the pupils of any school, or posted upon the walls of any school building, or fences of the same.

46. The teacher of each school shall prepare and place for convenient inspection by the Trustees, a programme of the exercises of each day during the week, specifying the length of time devoted to each study and recitation.

47. Teachers will give as much instruction as is practicable by means of the blackboard; arrange the scholars in accordance with their progress, in not less than three nor more than five classes; prevent sitting too long in one position or without occupation, and frequently vary the school exercises, so as to awaken and fix the attention of the children.

48. The teacher of each school is accountable for the safe-keeping of the furniture and other school property, the order and discipline of the pupils, and the execution of all rules and regulations of the General and Sub-Boards.

49. Sub-assistants shall have charge, under the supervision of the preceptress, of the record books of the Grammar Schools in which they are pupils, shall be employed to give instruction in any school during the temporary absence of the teacher, when required

by the Sub-Board, and shall perform such other duties as may be assigned to them.

50. Teachers are required to make themselves familiar with these Regulations, and especially with the portion that relates to their own duties, and to the instruction and discipline of their respective schools, and to see that these are faithfully observed

## Rules relating to Pupils.

51. Good order and propriety of deportment, not only during school hours, but in coming to and leaving school, and cleanliness in person and attire, are expected from all. Pupils are required to keep all books clean, and the contents of desks neatly arranged; to enter and leave the room in a respectful manner, and without noise; and to quit the neighborhood of the school in a quiet and orderly manner immediately on being dismissed.

52. No pupil shall be allowed to throw pens, paper, or anything whatever on the floor; to mark, cut, scratch, chalk, or otherwise disfigure or injure any portion of the school building or anything connected with it; to use tobacco in any form; to use a knife in school; to play at any game within the school-room; to use any profane or indelicate language; to nickname any person; to throw stones or other missiles; to annoy or maltreat others, or do anything that may disturb the neighborhood of the school.

53. Continued irregularity, frequent absence, tardi-

ness in attendance, immoral conduct, or a neglect on the part of parent or guardian to furnish the necessary school books, unless satisfactorily explained by such parent or guardian, shall be sufficient ground for suspension.

54. Absence for four days in any one month, unless caused by sickness or the presence of a contagious disease in the family, (of which the teacher must be informed before the expiration of the fourth day,) subjects the pupil so offending to dismissal from school for the remainder of the school year, by the Sub-Board of the district, to whom every such case shall be reported by the teacher in writing.

55. Parents shall in all cases be notified in writing when the non-attendance of their children has accumulated so that two additional half-days' absence will require suspension.

56. No pupil shall be admitted into school after the opening, without an excuse in writing from the parent or guardian.

57. Pupils of female schools are not allowed to dispose of tickets for concerts, exhibitions, &c.

58. When the example of any pupil is injurious, and in cases where reformation appears hopeless, it shall be the duty of the teacher to report the same in writing to the Sub-Board; and in case of suspension immediate notice of the same shall be given in writing by the teacher to the parent or guardian, stating the cause.

59. But any pupil under this censure who shall express to the teacher regret for his or her folly or in-

discretion, as openly and explicitly as the nature of the case may require, and shall give promise of amendment, shall, with the previous consent of said Sub-Board, be reinstated.

60. Tickets of merit, not exceeding one for every ten pupils, shall be given at the close of each month for good conduct and proficiency in studies.

61. Tickets of absence, deficiencies, and disobediences shall be sent, at the close of each month, to the parents or guardians, to be signed by them and returned to the teacher.

62. Pupils whose parents or guardians are in indigent circumstances may obtain the use of books, &c., from the Treasurer, on a requisition signed by the teacher of the school, and approved by one member of the Sub-Board; but in all cases such books shall be returned whenever the scholar shall leave the school.

63. If the books are not returned as required, the pupil shall not be allowed to enter any Public School in the city.

64. The *pupil's* duties to the TEACHER are, obedience, respect and attention, industry, punctuality and regularity, truth, frankness and honesty; without these there can neither be success in study, nor the formation of that character which it is the object of the school to promote.

65. The *pupil's* duties to the SCHOOL are, kindness and propriety of deportment and honesty towards his schoolmates, with regularity of attendance, proper conduct on the way, and a due regard for the character of the school.

66. The *pupil's* duties to the TRUSTEES, are those due to persons who labor gratuitously for their benefit. They are to be treated with respect when met, welcomed to the school when they visit it, and their words of advice or caution attended to as those, next to parents and teachers, of their best and most disinterested friends.

## School Hours.

67. The schools shall be opened punctually at 8½ o'clock a. m. from April 1st to October 1st, and at 9 o'clock from October 1st to April 1st; and closed at 3 o'clock p. m.

68. During the morning, a recess of fifteen minutes shall be given at 10½ o'clock, and of sixty minutes at 12 m.

69. In the Primary Schools the teacher may allow the pupils in each class a recess of not more than five minutes after each recitation.

70. No change in the school session in inclement weather is allowed. In extraordinary cases, special permission can be obtained from the Sub-Boards.

## Vacations.

71. Every Saturday.

72. From the 15th of July of each year until the first Monday in September, on which day the next school year shall commence.

73. The 22d of February.

74. Good Friday and Easter Monday.

75. The Fourth of July.

76. Thanksgiving Day.

77. From the 24th day of December to the 2d of January.

78. No other holidays shall be granted, except on the application of the teacher, and the written consent of two of the Sub-Board of the district.

## Night Schools.

79. Night Schools may be opened and continued for four months, from the middle of October, in any district where there is a sufficient attendance.

80. They shall be opened at 7 o'clock p. m., and continue two hours.

81. Teachers of Night Schools shall keep registers and make reports similar to those of the day schools.

## Examination.

82. An examination of the several schools shall be made before the close of each school year, under the direction of the General Board; and all pupils absenting themselves from such examination, without cause assigned, may be suspended or dismissed by the Sub-Boards.

## School Houses.

83. Inasmuch as the Trustees are responsible for the proper use of the city property entrusted to their care, the school houses owned or occupied by the Corporation are to be used for no other than Public School purposes, without the consent of two-thirds of the Board.

# PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDS.

The money known as the School Fund of this city, arises from three sources, viz :

1st. An investment, now accumulated by investment of accrued interest to $50,540 in Corporation six per cent. stock.

2d. A tax of one dollar upon every free white male citizen, of the age of 21 years and upwards; the proceeds of which are by the 3d Section, of the Act of May 22, 1848, "set apart and pledged for the establishment of Public Schools in this city, and *for no other* purpose."

3d. The general assessment of 10 cents on every $100, of all real and personal property, stocks, bonds, &c., in this city, the proceeds of which, in the language of the Annual Tax Act, "shall be set apart and used for the support of the Public Schools of this city, and for no other purpose."

The accrued interest on the invested fund, is transferred quarterly by the Register, to the credit of the school fund.

The per-capita tax, as well as that arising from assessment, is collected by the the Collector, and by him from time to time deposited, separating from all other funds and depositing to its credit the portion accruing to the School fund.

This money is drawn from time to time, by the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees, by written requisition, approved by the Mayor, on which the warrant of the Register is drawn.

Report of Committee, Sept. 28, 1861.

*Comparative results of the Schools for nine years.*

| | 1853–4 | 1854–5 | 1855–6 | 1856–7 | 1857–8 | 1858–9 | 1859, 1860. | 1860–1 | 1861–2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. of Pupils first of School yr | 2,048 | 2,003 | 2,229 | 2,084 | 2,251 | 2,426 | 2,990 | 2,898 | 2,725 |
| No. admitted during the year | 1,243 | 1,533 | 1,198 | 1,318 | 1,532 | 1,512 | 1,306 | 1,856 | 2,179 |
| No. on rolls during the year.. | 3,291 | 3,536 | 3,427 | 3,402 | 3,783 | 3,938 | 4,296 | 4,754 | 4,904 |
| No. withdrawn during year.. | 632 | 1,064 | 1,007 | 946 | 1,011 | 1,084 | 1,009 | 1,592 | 1,477 |
| No. transferred .....do..... | 396 | 217 | 265 | 201 | 223 | 251 | 311 | 261 | 424 |
| No. suspended.....do ..... | 140 | 223 | 375 | 306 | 231 | 154 | 184 | 249 | 223 |
| No. at the close of the year... | 2,123 | 2,049 | 1,948 | 2,006 | 2,265 | 2,501 | 2,797 | 2,454 | 2,680 |
| No. of Teachers..... | 36 | 37 | 39 | 40 | 44 | 46 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| Average daily attendance at each school..... | 47 | 45 | 45 | 47 | 47 | 49 | 52 | 47 | 45 |

## *Number of white persons in the City of Washington.*

| From the 8th Census, 1860. | 5 AND UNDER 10 YRS. | | | 10 & UNDER 15 YRS. | | | 15 & UNDER 20 YRS. | | | Total Males. | Total Fem. | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Male. | Fem. | Total. | Male. | Fem. | Total. | Male. | Fem. | Total. | | | |
| First Ward | 345 | 354 | 699 | 317 | 280 | 597 | 252 | 368 | 620 | 919 | 1,002 | 1,921 |
| Second Ward | 397 | 431 | 828 | 349 | 445 | 794 | 333 | 514 | 847 | 1,079 | 1,400 | 2,479 |
| First District | 742 | 785 | 1,527 | 666 | 725 | 1,391 | 585 | 882 | 1,467 | 1,998 | 2,402 | 4,400 |
| Third Ward | 491 | 485 | 976 | 422 | 443 | 865 | 370 | 535 | 905 | 1,283 | 1,463 | 2,746 |
| Fourth Ward | 573 | 508 | 1,081 | 469 | 490 | 959 | 395 | 530 | 928 | 1,440 | 1,528 | 2,968 |
| Second District | 1,064 | 993 | 2,057 | 891 | 933 | 1,824 | 768 | 1,065 | 1,833 | 2,723 | 2,991 | 5 714 |
| Fifth Ward | 284 | 316 | 600 | 258 | 273 | 531 | 227 | 294 | 521 | 779 | 883 | 1,662 |
| Sixth Ward | 319 | 335 | 654 | 286 | 272 | 558 | 225 | 262 | 487 | 830 | 869 | 1,699 |
| Third District | 603 | 651 | 1,254 | 544 | 545 | 1,089 | 452 | 556 | 1,008 | 1,609 | 1,752 | 3,361 |
| Seventh Ward | 532 | 500 | 1,032 | 420 | 422 | 842 | 358 | 395 | 753 | 1,310 | 1,517 | 2,827 |
| Fourth District | 532 | 500 | 1,032 | 420 | 422 | 842 | 358 | 395 | 753 | 1,310 | 1,517 | 2,827 |
| Total | 2,941 | 2,929 | 5,870 | 2,521 | 2,625 | 5,146 | 2,163 | 2,898 | 5,061 | 7,640 | 8,662 | 16,302 |

## *Programme of Music Lessons.*

By J. C. Daniel.

| District | School. | No. | Teacher. | Time. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | MONDAY. |
| 2 | Secondary | 6 | Miss L. Reed. | From 9 to ¼ of 10. |
| 2 | Male Intermediate | ..... | Mrs Myers | From ¼ of 10 to ½ past 10. |
| 2 | Male Grammar | ..... | Mr. Wilson | From ½ past 10 to ¼ past 11. |
| 2 | Secondary | 2 | Miss Abell | From ¼ past 11 to 12. |
| 2 | .....do | 3 | Miss Thomas | From 12 to ¼ of 1. |
| 2 | .....do | 5 | Miss Fletcher | From ¼ of 1 to ½ past 1. |
| 2 | .....do | 4 | Miss Tucker | From ½ past 1 to ¼ past 2. |
| 2 | Female Intermediate | ..... | Miss Billing | From ¼ past 2 to 3. |
| | | | | TUESDAY. |
| 3 | Female Intermediate | ..... | Miss Elvans | From 9 to ¼ of 10. |
| 3 | Male Grammar | ..... | Mr. McCathran. | From ¼ of 10 to ½ past 10. |
| 3 | Secondary | 4 | Mrs Jenson | From ½ past 10 to ¼ past 11. |
| 3 | .....do | 7, 10 | Miss Murphy and E. Tucker | From ¼ past 11 to 12. |
| 3 | .....do | 3 | Miss Simonds | From 12 to ¼ of 1. |
| 2 | .....do | 1 | Miss Acton | From 1 to ¼ of 2. |
| 2 | Female Grammar | ..... | Miss Boggs | From 2 to 3. |

## *Programme of Music Lessons*—Continued.

| District. | School. | No. | Teacher. | Time. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | WEDNESDAY. |
| 4 | Secondary | 2 | Miss M. Lee | From ½ past 8 to ¼ past 9 |
| 4 | do | 3 | Mrs. Martin | From ¼ past 9 to 10. |
| 4 | Male Intermediate | | Miss E. Reed | From 10 to ¼ of 11. |
| 4 | Secondary | 5 | Miss Eckloff | From ¼ of 11 to ½ past 11. |
| 4 | Female Intermediate | | Miss Dawes | From ¼ past 11 to 12. |
| 4 | Secondary | 7 | Miss Norris | From 12 to ¼ of 1. |
| 4 | do | 1 | Miss Adams | From ¼ of 1 to ½ past 1. |
| 4 | Male Grammar | | Mr J. E. Thompson | From ½ past 1 to ¼ past 2. |
| 4 | Female Grammar | | Mrs. Amidon | From ¼ past 2 to ¼ past 3. |
| | | | | THURSDAY. |
| 3 | Secondary | 8 | Miss Sanderson | From 9 to ¼ of 10. |
| 3 | Male Intermediate | | Miss Moss | From ¼ of 10 to ½ past 10. |
| 3 | Secondary | 6 | Miss Moore | From ½ past 10 to ¼ past 1. |
| 3 | do | 9 | Miss Davis | From ¼ past 11 to 12. |
| 3 | do | 1 | Mrs. Clarke | From ¼ past 12 to 1 |
| 3 | do | 5 | Miss Choate | From ¼ past 1 to 2. |
| 3 | Female Grammar | | Miss Ramsey | From 2 to 3. |

## *Programme of Music Lessons*—Continued.

| District. | School. | No. | Teacher. | Time |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | FRIDAY. |
| 1 | Female Intermediate..... | ..... | Miss Lowe ..... | From ½ past 8 to ¼ past 9. |
| 1 | Male Intermediate..... | ..... | Mrs. Rodier..... | From ¼ past 9 to 10. |
| 1 | Secondary..... | 4 | Miss Mills..... | From 10 to ¼ of 11. |
| 1 | .....do..... | 3 | Miss Evans..... | From ¼ of 11 to ½ past 11. |
| 1 | .....do..... | 2 | Miss Slater ..... | From 12 to ¼ of 1. |
| 1 | Male Grammar..... | ..... | Mr. S J. Thompson..... | From ¼ of 1 to ½ past 1. |
| 1 | Secondary ..... | 1 | Miss Hoover..... | From ½ past 1 to ¼ past 2. |
| 1 | Female Grammar..... | ..... | Miss Middleton..... | From ¼ past 2 to ½ past 3. |

## *Annual Receipts of the Public Schools.*

| | 1859. | 1860. | 1861. | 1862. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balance in hands of Treasurer | $332 58 | $389 76 | $180 11 | $5 17 |
| Received from City Register | 26,311 75 | 29,431 17 | 29,875 84 | 27,408 83 |
| | 27,144 33 | 29,820 93 | 30,055 95 | 27,414 00 |

## *Annual Expenditures of the Public Schools.*

| | 1859. | 1860. | 1861. | 1862. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Salaries of Teachers | $19,192 46 | $20,001 68 | $20,922 13 | $20,988 79 |
| *First District.* | | | | |
| Rent of School-houses | 723 21 | 652 32 | 611 66 | 505 00 |
| Fuel and stoves | 149 35 | 311 30 | 339 63 | 238 86 |
| Books, stationery, and maps | 77 77 | 93 80 | 64 37 | 160 00 |
| Care of School rooms | 180 75 | 194 12 | 193 12 | 179 75 |
| Contingent expenses | 187 04 | 351 13 | 363 47 | 469 63 |
| | 1,318 12 | 1,602 67 | 1,572 25 | 1,553 24 |
| *Second District.* | | | | |
| Rent of School-houses | 532 21 | 458 34 | 583 33 | 578 13 |
| Fuel and stoves | 165 13 | 310 94 | 334 01 | 388 91 |
| Books, stationery, and maps | 81 71 | 153 75 | 122 24 | 175 00 |
| Care of School rooms | 178 50 | 199 25 | 229 50 | 211 50 |
| Contingent expenses | 251 42 | 292 82 | 370 21 | 392 24 |
| Special repairs | 159 00 | 253 49 | ..... | ..... |
| | 1,367 97 | 1,668 59 | 1,639 29 | 1,745 78 |
| *Third District.* | | | | |
| Rent of School-houses | 450 28 | 646 41 | 786 00 | 750 09 |
| Fuel and stoves | 216 81 | 341 79 | 260 54 | 617 47 |

## *Annual Expenditures*—Continued.

| | 1859. | 1860. | 1861. | 1862. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Books, stationery, and maps | $94 22 | $262 56 | $209 03 | $200 00 |
| Care of School-houses | 190 81 | 226 00 | 250 25 | 254 99 |
| Contingent expenses | 284 62 | 482 24 | 316 86 | 525 57 |
| | 1,236 74 | 1,959 00 | 1,822 68 | 2,348 12 |
| *Fourth District.* | | | | |
| Rent of School-houses | 405 00 | 505 00 | 555 00 | 381 17 |
| Fuel and stoves | 201 84 | 320 75 | 264 29 | 388 45 |
| Books, stationery, and maps | 81 01 | 69 58 | 126 95 | 175 00 |
| Care of School rooms | 187 75 | 202 50 | 213 07 | 212 99 |
| Contingent expenses | 356 71 | 512 13 | 397 63 | 411 62 |
| | 1,232 31 | 1,609 96 | 1,556 94 | 1,569 23 |
| *Night Schools.* | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 402 15 | 389 91 | 639 99 | 556 00 |
| Contingent expenses | 63 72 | | 149 03 | 28 94 |
| | 465 87 | 389 91 | 789 02 | 584 94 |
| *Music Teacher.* | ..... | ..... | 374 94 | 499 92 |
| *Board of Trustees.* | | | | |
| Premiums, printing, & contingencies | 579 10 | 700 87 | 278 56 | 723 51 |
| Salary of Secretary | 200 00 | 200 00 | 200 00 | 199 99 |
| Salary of Treasurer | 200 00 | 200 00 | 500 00 | 500 00 |
| Balances due Treasurer | 50 00 | ..... | 50 00 | ..... |
| New diploma | ..... | 150 00 | ..... | ..... |
| | 1,029 10 | 1,250 87 | 1,028 56 | 1,423 50 |
| *Miscellaneous.* | | | | |
| Furniture and freight | 912 00 | 1,158 14 | 134 32 | ..... |
| Books and stationery | ..... | ..... | 141 85 | 276 49 |
| Maps | ..... | ..... | 68 80 | ..... |
| Balance | 389 76 | 180 11 | 5 17 | ..... |
| Total expenditures | 27,144 33 | 29,820 93 | 30,055 95 | 30,990 01 |

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| | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |
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| | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| Mar. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
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| | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| | 29 | 30 | 31 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Apr. | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
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| | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
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| June | ... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
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| | 28 | 29 | 30 | ... | ... | ... | ... |

| 1863. | Sunday. | Monday. | Tuesday. | Wednesday. | Thursday. | Friday. | Saturday. |
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| | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | ... | ... |